SUPREME COURT MINUTES TUESDAY, APRIL 3, 2007 LOS ANGELES, CALIFORNIA AMENDED

The Supreme Court of California convened in its courtroom in the Ronald Reagan State Office Building, Third Floor, South Tower, 300 South Spring Street, Los Angeles, California, on Tuesday, April 3, 2007, at 9:00 a.m.

Present: Chief Justice Ronald M. George, presiding, and Associate Justices Kennard, Baxter, Werdegar, Chin, Moreno, and Corrigan.

Officers present: Frederick K. Ohlrich, Clerk; and Gail Gray, Calendar Coordinator.

S146979 Stan Brodie, Petitioner,

v.

Workers' Compensation Appeals Board, Respondent; Contra Costa County Fire Protection District, Respondent.

S147030 Kenneth Dee Welcher, et al., Petitioners,

v.

Workers' Compensation Appeals Board, Respondent; Hat Creek Construction, Inc., et al., Respondents.

Cause called. Mr. Mark Gearheart, argued for Petitioner Stan

Brodie.

Ms. Susan Borg, argued for Petitioners Henry L. Williams, Jr., et al. Mr. Elwood Lui, argued for Amicus Curiae Los Angeles County

Metropolitan Transp. Auth.

Mr. Danny Chou, argued for Respondent City and County of San

Francisco.

Mr. David Froba, rebuttal only for Amicus Curiae California

Applicants' Attorneys Association replied.

Cause submitted.

S146979 and S147030 are consolidated for argument and decision.

S141643

City of Santa Barbara, Petitioner,

V.

Superior Court of Santa Barbara County, Respondent;

Terral Janeway, Real Party in Interest.

Cause called. Ms. Andrea J. Saltzman, argued for Petitioners.

Mr. Roland Wrinkle, argued for Real Party in Interest.

Ms. Saltzman replied.

Cause submitted.

S137583

In re Joshua S. et al., Persons Coming Under the Juvenile Court

Law.

Los Angeles County Department of Children and Family Services, Plaintiff and Respondent,

V.

Penny S., Defendant; Joshua S. et al., Appellants,

Cause called. Mr. William D. Thetford, argued for Respondent. Ms. Merrill Lee Toole, Court-appointed Counsel, argued for

Appellants.

Mr. David Ettinger, argued for Amicus Curiae Alliance for

Children's Rights. Mr. Thetford replied. Cause submitted.

Court recessed until 2:00 p.m. this date.

Court reconvened pursuant to recess.

Members of the court and officers present as first shown.

S144515

In re Lemanuel C., a Person Coming Under the Juvenile Court Law

The People, Plaintiff and Respondent,

V.

Lemanuel C., Defendant and Appellant.

Cause called. Ms. Patricia Cooney, Court-appointed Counsel,

argued for Appellant.

Ms. Margaret Roberts, opened argument for Amicus Curiae Advocacy and Protection, Inc.

Ms. Bridget Billeter, Office of the Attorney General, argued for Respondent.

Ms. Cooney replied. Cause submitted.

S045184 The People, Respondent,

v.

Steven Wayne Bonilla, Appellant.

Cause called. Mr. David Nickerson, Court-appointed Counsel,

argued for Appellant.

Mr. Bruce Ortega, Office of the Attorney General, argued for

Respondent.

Court recessed until 9:00 a.m., Tuesday, May 1, 2007.